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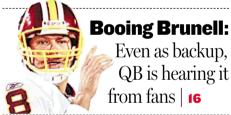
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NAGASAKI | 60 YEARS AFTER THE BOMB



SHINE ON: Children bring lanterns to the Urakami River on Tuesday to honor the victims of the bombing of Nagasaki. The second city ever attacked by an atomic bomb marked the 60th anniversary of its devastation with a Catholic Mass, a moment of silence and a plea for a ban on nuclear arms.

Judge: \$140M for Ovitz OK

WILMINGTON, DEL. | The Walt Disney Co.'s board did not breach its fiscal responsibilities by hiring Hollywood superagent Michael Ovitz as president in 1995, then granting him a \$140 million severance package when he left just 14 months later, a judge ruled Tuesday.

Chancellor William Chandler III said that while the directors' conduct "fell significantly short of the best practices of ideal corporate governance," board members did not violate their duties or waste Disney resources.

The ruling closes a trial that revealed the stormy inner workings of one of the world's largest entertainment companies.

Trial testimony included details of Ovitz's lavish spending and the enmity he engendered among fellow Disney executives, including CEO Michael Eisner, who described Ovitz in company memos as a "psychopath."

Ovitz contended that he loved Eisner "like a brother" but was micromanaged, undermined by key executives and "cut out like cancer" before he had time to prove his worth. Eisner and the company contended Ovitz wasted money, alienated executives with his arrogance and could not be trusted. (AP)

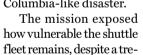
Safe End **To Tense Mission**

Shuttle Discovery lands in Calif. amid uncertain future

EDWARDS AIR FORCE BASE, CALIF. | Late. Safe. But facing an uncertain future.

Signaling its arrival with two thunderous sonic booms, the space shuttle Discovery hurtled out of a black desert sky to a smooth touchdown Tuesday after scrapping four landing attempts at its Florida base because of rain.

The landing at a backup site was met with cheers and palpable relief after a tense two-week mission that raised fears of a Columbia-like disaster.





mendous amount of money and effort invested in the first U.S. manned space mission in the 21/2 years since the Columbia tragedy.

The 17,000-mph plunge from orbit took Discovery through a passage of the same kind of intense heating that exposed the mortal wound in Columbia's wing. The shuttle soared across the Pacific and over Southern California, passing just north of Los Angeles on its way to Edwards as it completed a journey that spanned 5.8 million miles and 219 orbits of Earth.

Two hours after touchdown, the astronauts walked around the shuttle to inspect for possible damage. "It looks fantastic," said Commander Eileen Collins, who urged the U.S. to continue launching shuttles until the scheduled completion of the international space station in 2010. ALICIA CHANG (AP)

ADD-ONS | Hash Out a Deal A used minivan sold by El Paso, Texas, police came with an extra option — about 100 pounds of pot. A man recently bought the 1997 Plymouth Voyager from the sheriff's office; later, a mechanic who was checking out the mini-



van found the stash of weed underneath it. The buver immediately returned the vehicle, but he'll get it back next week - sans the pot - once the department is done investigating how officers overlooked all that marijuana. (AP) EyeOpeners | Page 2

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ON AIR

A Breakthrough For Reality TV

It wasn't hard to for police to crack the case when a Fort Smith, Ark., television show host was robbed Thursday



United Press International reported. Gary Spirito, host of "Shopping Mania Auction," was on-air when a man came in and demanded his car keys. Spirito immediately told his viewers "there's a guy robbing us; somebody call the police. He came in with a gun." Spirito then told the robber, who had an accomplice, that they were in the middle of a live show and the police had probably already been notified. The men fled, but were arrested the next day. (EXPRESS)

— the incident happened on live TV,

WHAP

Slapped With a Fine

A New York radio station agreed Monday to stop its "Smackfest" promotion, in which women slapped each other for prizes, the state officals said. The station held 24 Smackfest contests from April 2004 to January 2005; young women took turns "violently" slapping

each other for concert tickets and up to \$5,000 in cash. Images of the slapping then ran on the station's Web site. WQHT-FM's parent company, Emmis Radio, also agreed to pay a \$240,000 fine, \$60,000 of which will be given to a nonprofit group that promotes awareness of domestic violence, authorities said. Emmis Radio noted that contestants were volunteers. (AP)



ART

Sand Castle

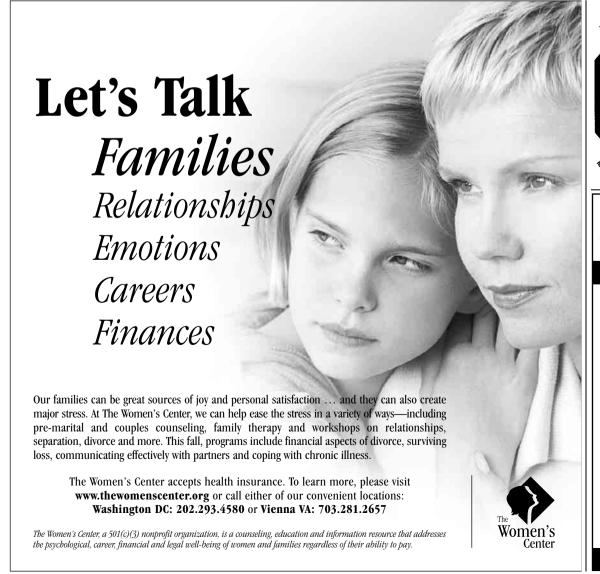
Dublin Castle in Ireland is the newest stage for sand sculpture extravaganzas piling up around the globe each summer. This time, it's the Duthain Dealbh — "Fleeting Sculpture" — group that's building up some beach features in the castle's courtyard. The exhibition will run Aug. 15-29. (AP)



STICKLERS

Let's Go to a Doctor To Prove Your Height

A Wellington, New Zealand, police officer escorted a driver to an optometrist so he could prove he was wearing contact lenses, the Dominion Post reported. After he pulled over Michael Romanos on Monday, officer Richard Hocken noted Romanos' license required him to wear glasses or contact lenses — but Romanos refused to take them out, because he didn't have wetting solution to put them back in. So Hocken had Romanos follow him to an optometrist: there, Romanos, who "wasn't very happy," popped out his lens, but still got a ticket for not wearing a seatbelt. (EXPRESS)





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COUNT HER IN: Rep. Katherine Harris, best known for her role as Florida's secretary of state during the 2000 presidential recount, kicked off a campaign for the U.S. Senate on Tuesday. The Republican hopes to unseat Florida Democrat Bill Nelson.

Nation

In Brief

COLUMBUS, OHIO

Gunman in Highway Attacks Given 27-Year Sentence

A mentally ill man pleaded guilty to involuntary manslaughter and 10 other charges Tuesday in a series of Ohio highway shootings and was sentenced to 27 years in prison. Charles McCoy Jr., 29, had admitted firing the shots over five months in 2003 and 2004 but pleaded innocent by reason of insanity to murder and 23 other counts. (AP)

NEW HAVEN, CONN

Collector Pleads Not Guilty To Stealing Rare Maps

A renowned dealer of antique maps pleaded not guilty Tuesday to looting Yale University of three centuries-old maps. E. Forbes Smiley III, 49, was arrested on larceny charges June 8 after a librarian at Yale's Beinecke Rare Book and Manuscript Library found a razor blade on the floor. Police confronted Smiley, and found seven maps in his briefcase and pockets worth nearly \$900,000, according to a police report. (AP)

NEW YORK

Millionaire Hirschfeld Dies

Eccentric multimillionaire Abe Hirschfeld, an immigrant from Israel who quietly lived the American dream until his bizarre behavior led him into politics, publishing and prison, died Tuesday. He was 85. Hirschfeld, who built parking lots and health clubs, was jailed for plotting to kill a business partner and unsuccessfully ran for the U.S. Senate. (AP)

SUMMER STEAM | HOT DOG



INTO THE SPRAY: A dog named Saber gets wet Tuesday at McCoy Park in Independence, Mo., where his owner, Ellen Cooper, had come to cool off. Families flocked to the spray park as temperatures reached the upper 90s.

Official: Hijackers

Monitored Pre-9/11

Panel to examine claims intel officials tracked ringleader Atta

WASHINGTON | The Sept. 11 commission will investigate a claim that U.S. defense intelligence officials identified ringleader Mohammed Atta and three other hijackers as a likely part of an al Qaeda cell more than a year before the hijackings but didn't forward the information to law enforcement.

Rep. Curt Weldon, R-Pa., who is vice chairman of the House Armed Services and Homeland Security committees, said Tuesday the men were identified in 1999 by a classified military intelligence unit known as "Able Danger." If true, that's an earlier link to al Qaeda than any previously disclosed intelligence about Atta.

Sept. 11 commission co-chairman Lee Hamilton said Tuesday that Weldon's information, which the congressman said came from multiple intelligence sources, warrants a review. He said he hoped the panel could issue a statement on its findings by the end of the week.

"The 9/11 commission did not learn of any U.S. government knowl-



Weldon

edge prior to 9/11 of surveillance of Mohammed Atta or of his cell," said Hamilton, a former Democratic congressman from Indiana. "Had we learned

of it obviously it would've been a major focus of our investigation."

The Sept. 11 commission's final report, issued last year, recounted numerous government mistakes that allowed the hijackers to succeed. Among them was a failure to share intelligence within and among agencies. KIMBERLY HEFLING (AP)

HEARSAY | HIGH COURT

"[W]e can't control the politics of it, and I don't think you want us to control the politics of it."

-SUPREME COURT JUSTICE STEPHEN BREYER SAYING TUESDAY THAT POLITICAL ATTACKS ON CONTROVERSIAL COURT RULINGS ARE THREATENING JUDICIAL INDEPENDENCE.

Officer Killed in Courthouse Shooting

KINGSTON, TENN. | An inmate considered to be "extremely violent" escaped Tuesday after his wife gunned down and killed a guard who was escorting the shackled prisoner outside a courthouse, authorities said.

The bloody escape set off an extensive search for George and Jennifer Hyatte. Helicopters circled

over this eastern Tennessee town and schools — open for student registration — were locked down.

The Ford Explorer in which the couple fled was later found abandoned with blood on the driver's side, and officers think the wife may have been wounded during the attack, Police Chief Jim Washam

said. Authorities believe the pair later switched from the sport utility vehicle to a van.

George Hyatte was serving a 35-year sentence on robbery and assault convictions. Jennifer Hyatte is a nurse who had been fired from her job at a prison because of her relationship with George Hyatte. Washam said murder charges were pending against the couple. (AP)



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BRING IT ON: Almost nine in 10 high school students say they'd work harder if their schools expected more of them, a new study by Peter D. Hart Research Associates said.

General Fired Amid Probe

Move comes during investigation for alleged sexual misconduct

washington | In an extraordinary move, the Army sacked a four-star general who was the subject of a Defense Department investigation into alleged sexual misconduct, officials said Tuesday.

Gen. Kevin P. Byrnes, commander of Army Training and Doctrine Command, was approaching retirement when the decision to relieve him of duty was made by the Army chief of staff, Gen. Peter Schoomaker.

chief of staff, Gen. Peter Schoomaker. The Army announced no specific allegation against Byrnes, but a senior official said it involved unspecified sexual misconduct. The official spoke only on condition of anonymity because of the sensitivity

of the allegation.



Byrnes

Byrnes, 52, a Vietnam veteran who entered the Army in 1969, ranked third in seniority among the Army's 11 four-star gen-

erals. A two-sentence statement issued by the Army said Byrnes had been relieved of his position. It gave no reason except to say, "The investigation upon which this relief is based is undergoing further "The allegation against [Byrnes] does not involve a relationship with anyone within the military, or even the federal government."

Army Lt. Col David Robertson, Gen. Kevin Byrnes' defense attorney, saying the allegation against his client stems from an affair with a private civilian. | Today on Page Al

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review to determine the appropriate final disposition of this matter."

A spokesman at Training and Doctrine Command, Harvey Perritt, said Byrnes was unavailable to comment. ROBERT BURNS (AP)

IRAQ WAR | A KISS GOODBYE



MOTHER'S GRIEF: Adriana Rock, mother of Marine Sgt. Nathaniel Rock, kisses her son's casket during his funeral Tuesday in Toronto Union Cemetery in Toronto, Ohio. Rock, 26, was killed Aug. 1 during hostile fire in Haditha, Iraq.

Help Sought in Identifying Green River Victims

SEATTLE | Investigators are issuing a new call for public help to identify four of the victims of one of the most notorious serial killers in the history of the United States.

Gary Ridgway is serving life in prison without parole after pleading guilty in November 2003 to 48 killings. In return, he avoided the death penalty and agreed to cooperate with investigators.

Investigators on the Green River cases, named for the river south of Seattle where the first five victims were found in July and August 1982, are asking anyone with information on missing women in King County in the 1970s and 1980s to call them. (AP)

'Runaway Bride' Serves Sentence in Ga.

LAWRENCEVILLE, GA. | Instead of cutting out of town, runaway bride Jennifer Wilbanks is cutting lawns.

Wearing an orange community service vest and a baseball cap with the slogan "Life is good," Wilbanks did part of her court-ordered community service Tuesday for lying to police after she ran off days before her wedding.

"I'm doing well. ... I'm getting

there," a sweating Wilbanks told a throng of reporters and photographers after her mower died out in the tall, wet grass. "I need to get back to work. I don't want to get into trouble."

In all, Wilbanks was ordered to do 120 hours of service, and she has already completed 24 by scrubbing toilets in probation offices, picking up trash and washing public vehicles. (AP)



Jennifer Wilbanks mows the lawn of a Georgia government building Tuesday.



Ted started weighing the benefits of telecommuting after he sneezed and found himself on the dreaded Springfield Interchange heading back home instead of heading to work.

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World

Attacks Shake Iraqi Capital

Suicide car bombing targets U.S. convoy on violent day in Baghdad

BAGHDAD, IRAQ | A suicide car bomber struck a U.S. convoy waiting at an intersection Tuesday in Baghdad, killing seven people — including one American soldier — and wounding more than 90. More than a dozen others died in scattered attacks across the capital.

Also, a U.S. Marine assigned to the 2nd Marine Division was killed Monday by small-arms fire in Ramadi, the U.S. military said.

The American convoy was stopped at a busy intersection when a driver detonated a vehicle packed with explosives, the U.S. Army said. Six Iraqi civilians also were killed: scores of Iragis and two U.S. soldiers were wounded.

Violence raged as Iraqi political leaders showed little sign of compromise less than a week before



BLAST SITE: A man walks past burning vehicles after a suicide car bomber detonated a vehicle packed with explosives near a U.S. convoy in Baghdad on Tuesday.

a deadline for approving a new constitution. Faction leaders conferred for about four hours Tuesday night hoping to overcome their differences and produce a charter by Monday.

Participants said the talks focused on Kurdish demands for a federal state and although some progress was made, there was no final agreement. More talks were set for Wednesday. Bassem Mroue (AP)

Abbas Calls for Calm **During Gaza Withdrawal**

GAZA CITY, GAZA STRIP | With a week to go before Israel's withdrawal from the Gaza Strip, Palestinian leader Mahmoud Abbas warned his people Tuesday that attacks during the pullout would harm their chances for independence.

He also reassured Hamas rivals that long-overdue parliamentary elections will be held in January,

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date. "There is a requirement to

although he did

not set an exact

ensure the withdrawal takes place in a civilized manner,"

Abbas told Palestinian legislators in Gaza City. "We will be able to show the world we deserve independence and freedom."

Later Tuesday, Israeli and Palestinian officials reached agreement on the disposal of rubble from



A settler removes the Israeli flag from his house as he prepares to leave Gaza.

the Jewish settlements that will be destroyed — a crucial point of coordination. Abbas was to announce on Wednesday whether he accepts the agreement.

Israeli and Palestinian officials working to coordinate the withdrawal agreed that Israel will take in dangerous rubble, including asbestos, while the Palestinians will remove the rest. IBRAHIM BARZAK (AP)

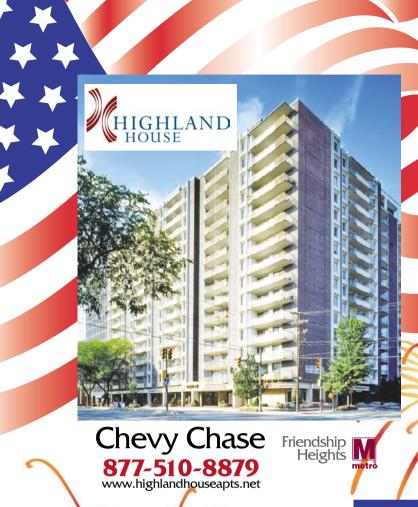
U.N. Health Chief: Asia Needs More Bird-Flu Medicine

 ${\tt BANGKOK}, {\tt THAILAND} \mid {\tt The \ head \ of \ }$ the U.N. health agency said Tuesday negotiations are under way to build a stockpile of bird-flu fighting drugs for Southeast Asia to help guard against a potential global flu pandemic.

Dr. Lee Jong-wook said the World Health Organization hopes to initially acquire 1 million doses of the anti-viral Tamiflu, which is the only drug known to be effective against avian influenza in humans. He said talks are under way with other countries and a drug maker to allow the medicine to be distributed to poor countries for free or at highly discounted rates.

Currently WHO has only enough Tamiflu to treat about 125,000 people, he said.

Bird flu has devastated poultry stocks across Asia and killed 61 people in the region since late 2003, with the latest death reported Tuesday in Vietnam. (AP)

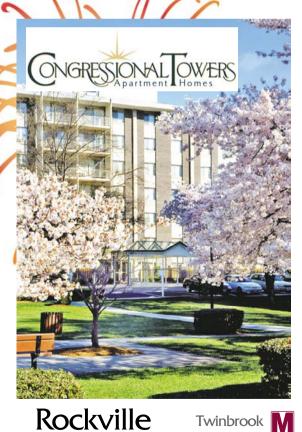




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World



TICKET TO RIDE: Indian Railways says it plans to introduce e-tickets, the latest step in an effort to modernize a vast train network first laid by British colonizers. Some 12 million passengers are estimated to ride the nation's 14,000 trains every day.

In Brief

KABUL, AFGHANISTAN

Fresh Afghan Fighting Kills G.I., 16 Suspected Rebels

Fighting sparked by an insurgent attack on patrolling coalition forces in southern Afghanistan killed one U.S. service member and at least 16 suspected Taliban rebels, amid spiraling violence ahead of key legislative elections, the military said Tuesday. The American was killed when militants opened fire with small arms and rocket-propelled grenades on Afghan and U.S. forces Monday in a remote and mountainous region known as a hub of rebel activity. (AP)



A child plays near his house in Niger, which has been hit with food shortages.

NIAMEY, NIGER

Niger's President Plays Down Nation's Food Crisis

Niger's president played down the food crisis ravaging his desert nation, insisting Tuesday that people in the impoverished West African country "look well-fed." In an interview with the British Broadcasting Corp., President Mamadou Tandja acknowledged that a devastating locust invasion last year and poor rains have produced food shortages. But he said that was not unusual for his country or the region. (AP)

Britain Mulls Secret Terror Courts

As part of post-attack crackdown, officials weigh changing policy

LONDON | Britain is considering setting up secretive courts to make it easier to prosecute terror suspects — and to hold them without charge for longer than the current 14 days — as part of the crackdown following last month's deadly London bombings, officials said Tuesday.

The Home Office said it was contemplating changing the pre-

INVESTIGATING THE LONDON ATTACKS

- IN EGYPT, authorities on Tuesday released an Egyptian chemist, Magdy el-Nashar, who had been sought by Britain in connection with the July 7 attacks. El-Nashar said he casually knew two of the attackers.
- A SUSPECT in the failed July 21 bombings held in Italy, Hamdi Issac, told British investigators that the explosives in his bag were made of flour and a liquid hair product and were not meant to kill, his lawyer said Tuesday. (AP)

trial process to deal with particularly sensitive terror cases, with the aim of "securing more prosecutions." Currently, terror suspects can be held for two weeks without charge and after they are charged, police can no longer question them. Police have asked the government to extend this period to three months.

The anti-terror courts — run by judges with special high-level

security clearance — would meet behind closed doors to investigate the merits of the case against terror suspects, rule on highly sensitive evidence and decide how long the suspect could be held, The Guardian newspaper reported Tuesday, citing Home Office unnamed officials.

A spokeswoman for the Home Office, who spoke on condition of anonymity because government policy bars her from being quoted by name, confirmed a new pretrial procedure is under review, but couldn't provide any other details. (AP)

BANGLADESH | JOYFUL NOISE



PEOPLE POWER: Tribal women blow on pipes during a rally to mark World Indigenous Day in Dhaka, Bangladesh, on Tuesday. The U.N.-backed event is meant to draw attention to problems facing indigenous people around the world.

Russian Youth Activists Protest Trial

MOSCOW | More than 20 youth activists were detained by police Tuesday after handcuffing themselves in a line outside the general prosecutor's office in Moscow in support of another youth group whose members are on trial.

The 21 Red Youth Avant-Garde members were protesting the trial of activists from the National Bolshevik Party, more than three



Russian police officers scuffle with demonstrators in Moscow on Tuesday.

dozen of whose members are on trial for seizing a presidential administration building last year.

Demonstrators unfurled a banner reading "Enough to Authorities' Arbitrariness!" Riot police forced the protesters into a police bus. NTV television showed footage of some activists being beaten by police officers.

City prosecutors said later they intended to charge the 21 with disrupting public order. (AP)

HEARSAY | LEARNING

"Bankers have conferences like lawyers and doctors. Why not clowns?"

-ALICIA LOPEZ

DISCUSSING THIS WEEK'S "FESTIVAL OF THE CLOWN" IN MEXICO CITY. SOME 300 CLOWNS, MAGICIANS AND PERFORMERS ARE EXPECTED TO ATTEND THE WORKSHOP, WHICH COVERS TOPICS FROM BALLOON ANIMALS TO MAKEUP.

Iran Will Continue Nuke Talks

VIENNA, AUSTRIA | Iran's president said Tuesday he will submit new proposals in negotiations over his country's nuclear program but denounced a European offer of aid as an "insult," as the U.N. nuclear agency tried to resolve the crisis without referring Tehran to the Security Council.

The development came as the International Atomic Energy Agency's 35-nation board considered a new warning to a defiant Iran to suspend its atomic activities.

Mahmoud Ahmadinejad, the country's new president, spoke Tuesday with U.N. Secretary-General Kofi Annan and said Iran was willing

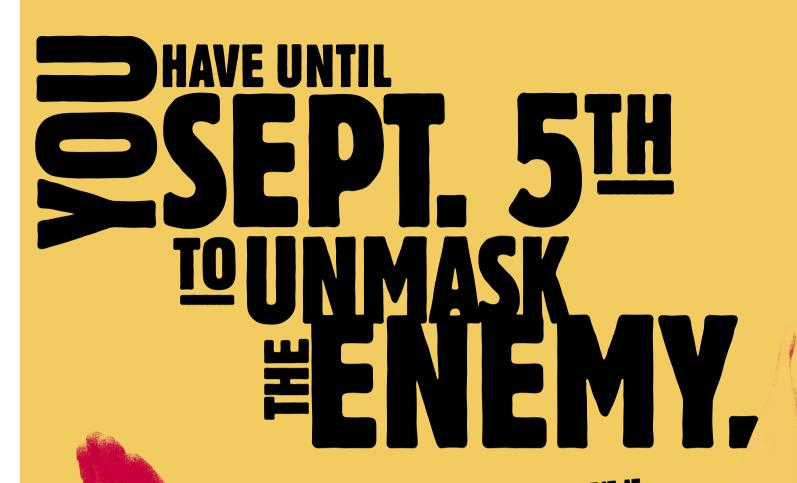


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to continue the negotiations with the Europeans.

But Ahmadinejad is bringing in one of the most hard-line elements in the Islamic regime to head the talks — another sign Iran has grown more willing to defy the West in pursuing its nuclear program.

President Bush welcomed Ahmadinejad's willingness to continue negotiations but said at his Texas ranch that he was "deeply suspicious" of Iran, SUSANNA LOOF (AP)



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Money



NOT SO FAST FORWARD: Blockbuster Inc., the biggest movie-rental chain in the U.S., said Tuesday it took a loss in the second quarter after its elimination of late fees cut into its overall revenue. Blockbuster's loss was \$57.2 million, or 31 cents per share.

Fed Again Raises Key Interest Rate

Hike is 10th in a row as policy-makers seek to ward off inflation

WASHINGTON | The Federal Reserve pushed borrowing costs to their highest point in nearly four years Tuesday in an attempt to make sure the combination of high energy prices and a growing economy doesn't turn into a recipe for inflation.

Chairman Alan Greenspan and his colleagues lifted a key short-term rate, called the federal funds rate, by one-quarter percentage point to 3.50 percent on Tuesday. It marked the 10th increase of that size in the Fed's 14-month campaign to tighten credit.

In response, commercial banks began boosting their prime lending rates — used for many short-term consumer loans, including variable-rate credit cards and popular home equity lines of credit by a corresponding amount to 6.50 percent.

The increases left both the funds rate and the prime lending rates at their highest levels in nearly four years.

Fed policy-makers, in a brief statement, said that despite high energy prices, consumers and businesses are spending — important forces behind economic activity. And they noted that the job climate continues to show improvement.

JEANNINE AVERSA (AP)

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3-month	3.44	3.40	European Euro	.8102	.8093	.8147				
2-year	4.11	4.05	Japanese Yen	112.15	112.00	110.54				
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Teacher Debora Perry, right, and designer Laurie Smith are pleased.

HYATTSVILLE, MD.

Mom Charged With Leaving Child in Car for 2 Hours

A woman was arrested Tuesday on charges of leaving her 3-yearold daughter alone in a car near a busy intersection for nearly two hours on Sunday. Brenda Johanna Oliva, 21, of New Carrollton was being held after being charged with reckless endangerment and other crimes, according to Prince George's County State's Attorney Glenn Ivey. (AP)

Survey: Transit a Top Need

Study shows that Va. drivers see value in public transportation

ARLINGTON, VA. | Improving public transportation rather than roads is the top priority for most Northern Virginia commuters, even for many who do not routinely use Metro, according to a traffic survey.

About two-thirds of those who regularly use the region's public transit system listed it as their top priority, according to findings for the Northern Virginia Transportation Authority. Among those who do not, nearly half said public transit was their top priority compared with 30 percent who preferred road improvements. The phone survey included 1,263 commuters across Northern Virginia.

"A bad day on Metro is still much better than a good day on the highways. I think that's how a lot of people feel," said Arlington County Board Vice Chairman Chris Zimmerman.

Zimmerman, who also serves on Metro's board, said he believes drivers know that transit benefits them too, as it gets cars off the roads. Heather greenfield (AP)

TRANSPORTATION WANTS

Drivers and transit passengers alike want more rail and are willing to pay more for transportation improvements:

- → 60 percent say Metrorail to Dulles is their top priority
- → 70 percent said they'd use toll lanes to bypass gridlock
- → 70 percent said they'd support state bonds to pay for transportation improvements
- → Commuters said they'd favor a sales-tax increase or pay a dollar more for improved Metrorail and Virginia Rail Express service

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GROWING: Vets at the National Zoo got another look at the unnamed male panda cub. He currently weighs 2.6 pounds.

5 More Charged In Gang-Related Md. Stabbings

ROCKVILLE, MD. | Five more suspects face attempted first-degree murder charges in two gang-related attacks Friday at a Montgomery County school and shopping plaza.

The five, arrested Monday, raise the total number accused in the two separate stabbing incidents to 11. All are were being held without bond on Tuesday.

Two more suspects were arrested Monday in the stabbing of two students at Springbrook High School. The arrest total is now seven in the school stabbings.

According to police, both incidents are gang-related, but no link between the two has been established. Authorities say members of the gang MS-13 are suspects. (AP)

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cials said.

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WASHINGTON | Traffic was redirected Tuesday on Kenilworth Avenue after the Eastern Avenue bridge was hit by a backhoe being carried by a dump truck, transportation offi-

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Parkway with I-295, were closed about 7:30 a.m. when the backhoe dislodged chunks of concrete, scattering it on the road.

D.C. transportation officials said workers repairing the bridge made a lot more progress than expected and had hoped to re-open the busy roadway Tuesday evening. (AP)

The Lotteries Tuesday, Aug. 9

Mid-day Lucky Numbers 8-0-5 **Evening Lucky Numbers** 3-7-1 Mid-day DC 4 8-7-3-1 Evening DC 4 4-3-0-9 Quick Cash 18-17-33-38-27-34 Hot Five 31-24-21-12-1

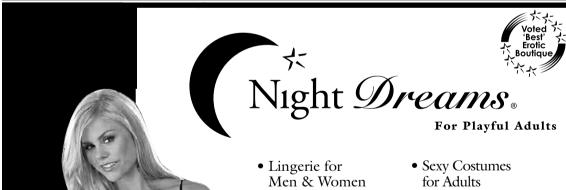
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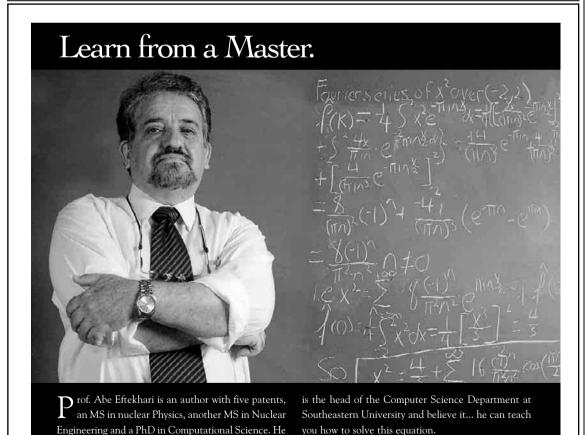
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Stem Cell Funding Sought

Advocates in Md. ask governor to include \$25M in budget

ANNAPOLIS, MD. | Advocates for embryonic stem cell research began a push for state research funds Tuesday, asking Gov. Robert Ehrlich to include \$25 million in next year's budget and promising quick action when the legislature meets in January to prevent opponents from killing their bill with a filibuster.

A stem cell research bill passed the House of Delegates in March, but a Senate bill died on the final day of the session when opponents refused to let it come to a vote.

"We are going to get this bill past the Senate this year," said Sen. Paula Hollinger, chairwoman of the committee that handles health legislation. She said the bill would be the first one brought to the Senate by her committee soon after the legislature convenes in January, making it much harder for opponents to sustain a filibuster.



John Kellerman is overcome with emotion at a press conference held by a coalition of stem-cell research advocates at the state house in Annapolis.

Sen. Lowell Stoltzfus, Republican minority leader in the Senate and an opponent of embryonic stem cell research, said Republicans "are not necessarily unified" on the topic. He said the GOP caucus has not discussed the issue since the 2005

legislative and he doesn't know if a filibuster could be sustained.

Hollinger's comments came at a news conference held to announce formation of a new group, Maryland Families for Stem Cell Research, to lobby the governor. Tom STUCKEY (AP)

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MIATA-KILLER? The first 1,000 special edition Pontiac Solstice roadsters were shipped to dealers this weekend. Along with the Saturn Sky, the car is part of General Motors' attempt to challenge the Mazda Miata.

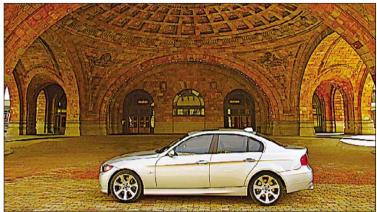
The Rare Worthy Sequel

BMW's redesigned 3-series improves on its predecessors

ROAD TEST | The new BMW 3-series, redesigned for model year 2006, is a spectacular car: lean and perfectly balanced, ineffably masculine and refined, and built with a futuristic precision that makes me wish the company made space shuttles.

Critics have declared the new 3-series "conservative." And while the 3-series sculpting will race no pulses, maybe that's just the point. Life begins in earnest once your butt lands in the driver's seat.

The car's interior design is spare and self-assured. There



The new 300-series BMW will complement all manner of exciting architecture.

are no grand, sweeping consoles, amoebic climate outlets or Art Nouveau dash contours. Models with the iDrive do have a second, humped binnacle in the dash to

house the LCD screen. Otherwise, you couldn't ask for a more businesslike environment.

As always, BMWs have a great sense of touch. The 3-series' wands

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- → MILEAGE: 20 mpg city, 30 highway
- **→ PRICE AS TESTED:** \$42.365
- **→ BASE PRICE**: \$36,300

behind the steering wheel (turn signals, wipers and cruise control) have heavy springs inside them and move through their range of motion on heavy cams. The parking brake ratchets up with a stiff, smooth burr.

That steering wheel is connected to some of the best hardware in the business: The front-end steering geometry gives the cars their excellent compromise between self-centering and road feel. The 3-series feels instinctive, incisive, composed and utterly predictable when driven hard.

The 3-series comes in two flavors, both powered by the same 3.0-liter six-cylinder engine. The 325i produces 215 horsepower; the 330i, equipped with a trick threestage induction system and more aggressive software, puts out 255 hp. It's not the most potent engine in this segment, but thanks to its highly orchestrated valve-works, it produces peak torque at 2,750 rpm and keeps pulling until nearly 6,000 rpm, all with an exhaust note that sounds like a mechanized hummingbird. DAN NEIL (LOS ANGELES TIMES)



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Toyota is bringing more, new and better hybrids to market

HYBRIDS | Toyota Motor Corp. wants hybrids to make up 25 percent of its U.S. sales by early in the next decade and is considering adding the technology to its entire lineup, including trucks, Toyota's North American president Jim Press said last week at an annual automotive conference in Traverse City, Mich.

Press said Toyota wants to sell 1 million hybrids worldwide by early in the next decade. That would require the automaker to sell 600,000 hybrids in the United States, or about one-quarter of its projected sales.

Press said Toyota will meet its goal by aggressively introducing new hybrid versions of its lineup. The company launched two hybrid sport utility vehicles this year — the Lexus RX 400h hybrid in April and the

Toyota Highlander hybrid in June — and will introduce hybrid versions of the Lexus GS sedan and the Toyota Camry next year. In addition, Press said Toyota has 10 hybrids under development.

Hybrid vehicles are powered by internal combustion engines but also are equipped with electric motors to assist with power and with batteries that are recharged while driving. They're more fuel efficient but typically cost \$3,000 to \$4,000 more than traditional cars.

Anthony Pratt, an analyst with J.D. Power and Associates, has said that premium will limit sales of hybrids to less than 5 percent of the U.S. market by 2011.

But Press is more bullish on the future of hybrids, saying the price will go down as more hybrids are produced. R.L. Polk analyst Lonnie Miller has said hybrids could make up 35 percent of the U.S. market by 2015 as long as automakers are committed to them. DEE ANN DURBIN (AP)

Car Care

Automotive expert **PAT GOSS** owns Pat Goss Car World, Inc., a local car repair company. He chats monthly on washingtonpost.com/cars.

I've heard that if you leave your motor home standing for long periods of time on concrete the calcium in the concrete will leach into the rubber and contact the steel belts, where it will cause them to rust and fail. You can't see the damage, but the tire could then blow out on the open road. Any truth to this?

Technically that it isn't supposed to happen. Sitting for extended periods of time does cause the steel belts to assume a flat contour at the bottom of the wheel. As the vehicle moves down the road, this causes severe shock loads on the

belt every time the flat spot hits the pavement. This weakens the belt, leading to blow outs. Another problem is that tires have a limited safe usable life. Some say five years, others say six years. Because motor homes and their kin rarely get high mileage in a short period of time, the tire typically becomes stale, dated and dangerous long before they wear out.

I just got a new Labrador puppy. I need a big crate to transport the pooch, and my Camry won't work. Can you recommend a vehicle that can carry such a load? I would like to avoid a big honkin' SUV.

There are many "crossover" vehicles available now that mimic SUVs but have a passenger-car chassis. They include the Toyota Highlander, Ford Freestyle and several others. These vehicles provide better economy and a much more car-like driving experience and cost significantly less than a full-blown SUV.



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—**Zinedine Zidane**, on what caused the French soccer star to unretire from international play

Even as Backup, Brunell Hears Boos

Redskins fans not over his dismal 2004 season

REDSKINS | Patrick Ramsey pumped his fist in celebration after hitting Chris Cooley over the middle for a 20-yard touchdown pass.

Moments later, Mark Brunell ran the same play — and Cooley was even more wide open — but the ball sailed high and incomplete.

It didn't take long for the catcalls to begin.

"Boo!" "Get him out of there!"
The fans watching the Washington Redskins training camp practice prove Brunell remains everyone's favorite scapegoat for the team's failures in 2004.

"Somebody's got to take the fall,"

Brunell said. "When an offense struggles, they look at two people: the head coach and the quarterback, and I was the quarterback when we were going through those struggles. I understand the position, and I'm not bitter."

Brunell returns this year as the 35-year-old backup to Ramsey, a position that isn't satisfying but one that Brunell has so far handled graciously.

Before considering his present and future, however, one question remains a strong source of debate: Was Brunell really that bad last year? He was the only regular quarterback in the NFL to com-



All the money Daniel Snyder gave Brunell couldn't make the QB play well.

"I've always felt like I can get open and I have a feel for what's happening in the play."

H-back Chris Cooley, whose ability to anticipate the defense's moves has made him a favorite target for Redskins QBs | Today in Sports

N The Washington Post

plete less than half his passes. His 63.9 rating was third-worst in the league. He failed to throw for even 100 yards in five of his nine starts. He was finally yanked after going 1-for-8 for 6 yards against Cincinnati. The boos cascaded from fans angry that Brunell wasn't living up to his seven-year, \$43 million contract.

"The boos — that was the hardest thing," Brunell said.

Then two things happened. Ramsey took over, and Joe Gibbs realized he needed to modernize the offense.

The consensus is that Ramsey played better than Brunell because the offense as a whole was better. Gibbs tweaked the offense even more this offseason with the goal of getting the ball downfield more often.

That's good news for anyone hoping that the Redskins will be productive this year, but it comes too late for Brunell. Gibbs is going with Ramsey, who would probably need a Brunell-like slump to lose the job.

"Would I like to be the starter? Absolutely," said Brunell. "Every backup would like to be the starter, but this is where it's at."



 $\textbf{FIELD DAYS}: With \ his \ jail \ time \ behind \ him, \ Ravens \ running \ back \ Jamal \ Lewis \ is \ eager for \ those \ dreaded \ two-a-day \ practices.$

Lewis Glad to Be as Free as a Raven

Running back speaks on first day with team after serving jail time

RAVENS | It's the little things that Jamal Lewis missed the most while serving time in a federal prison.

"You learn to value every day what you have," the running back said Tuesday, his first day back with the Baltimore Ravens. "Driving a car, eating good food. Things like that. When you're out here on the street, you don't think about those things."

Lewis spent four months in a federal prison, then two months in a halfway house, after pleading guilty to charges he used a cell phone in 2000 to arrange a drug deal for a friend.

His offseason consisted of working in the prison tool shop, lifting weights and counting down the days before

he could be free again. Compared to that regimented existence, practicing twice a day in the grueling August heat is a welcome chore.

"I'm back doing what I like to do, doing what I do best," he said. "I'm not a bad person. It's just me moving forward. My next step is really just to prove people wrong, the people that doubt me and think I'm not in the shape I'm supposed to be."

Ricky Goes Nowhere in Exhibition

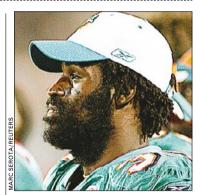
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Williams, who returned to the NFL on Monday night with a mediocre performance — 8 yards on five carries — in Miami's 27-24 loss to Chicago in the Hall of Fame game, made it sound as if he never left the sport.

Was that one-year retirement a mirage?

"It doesn't seem like I was gone, not even a week," he said. "Everywhere I go, I hear 'Welcome back.' But everywhere I have been, I have always been with myself. I'm with myself now more than ever.

"It's funny people say 'Welcome



After rushing for eight yards Monday, Williams watched from the sidelines.

back' when I haven't gone anywhere"

He didn't go much of anywhere against the Bears, but it was the first of five preseason games and the Dolphins got their starters and second-stringers off the field pretty quickly. By the second half, Williams was relaxing on the sideline.

"He looked fast, quick," coach Nick Saban said. "I was impressed." (AP)

TODAY'S TV LINEUP

BASEBALL (8 P.M. ON MASN) Livan Hernandez will try not to throw his glove into the crowd when the Nationals visit the Houston Astros.

BASEBALL (7 P.M. ON COMCAST) Rodrigo Lopez pitches for the Baltimore Orioles, who face the Tampa Bay Devil Rays in a battle of the worst two teams in the Al Fast. SOCCER (7:30 P.M. ON MLS DIRECTKICK) D.C. United starts life without the injured Freddy Adu against the Metro Stars.

BASEBALL (I P.M. ON ESPN) The Chicago White Sox visit the N.Y. Yankees in what could be a playoff preview.

BASEBALL (10 P.M. ON ESPN2) The Angels and A's duke it out for first place in the AL West.



In Brief

BASEBALL

Arbitrator Cuts Short Rogers' 20-Game Penalty

Kenny Rogers was reinstated to active duty Tuesday when an arbitrator ruled that Major League Baseball Commissioner Bud Selig went too far by suspending the Texas pitcher for 20 games and fining him \$50,000 for shoving two television cameramen. Rogers already has sat out 12 games. He will return to the Rangers for Wednesday night's game at Boston, and his fine will be converted to a charitable contribution. (AP)



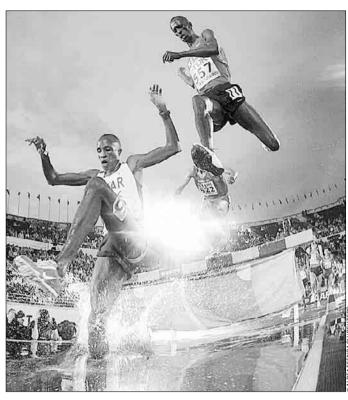
Rogers successfully knocked his penalty down for hitting a cameraman.

ELLICOTT CITY, MD. Judge Dismisses Case

Against Ex-Terp Wilcox

A judge on Tuesday dismissed a handgun charge against Los Angeles Clippers power forward and former University of Maryland standout Chris Wilcox after prosecutors agreed with his defense attorney that he should never have been arrested. Police arrested Wilcox early on June 27 after they found a gun in his car during a traffic stop. (AP)

TRACK AND FIELD | SPLASHY LANDING



HIGH JUMP: Saif Saaeed Shaheen of Qatar, left, and Ezekiel Kemboi of Kenya hurdle over a barrier and water pit in the men's 3000-meter steeplechase on Tuesday at the World Track Championships in Helsinki. Shaheen won.

United Considers Roster Options

Adu out for 2-4 weeks with knee sprain; D.C. eyes possible additions

UNITED | D.C. United's busy August (10 games scheduled) continues tonight at RFK Stadium with a match against the MetroStars, who lag three points behind D.C. in the race for a playoff berth.

United (9-6-5) has not lost an MLS game in over a month and appears to putting to rest some concerns raised by inconsistent play earlier this season. The resolution of a few personnel issues is all that stands in the way of a promising stretch run.

Freddy Adu, whose MRI Tuesday revealed a second degree MCL sprain in his right knee, is expected to miss two-to-four weeks.

Technical Director Dave Kasper added that the team expected to know

more about Alecko Eskandarian's prospects in the next 10 days. The striker has been sidelined for nearly two months with post-concussion symptoms.

On a positive note, United expects to present Argentine defender Facundo Erpen prior to tonight's game. Erpen, 23, was signed from second-division Talleres but will not be eligible to play until Aug. 20, after the MLS transfer window reopens.

Once Erpen is added, United will have another roster spot — and an opening for a senior international player — available to perhaps sign a forward or a midfielder. But any move must be made before Sept. 15, when MLS teams' rosters are frozen.

"We've had a couple of guys on our radar screens but it's getting a little late," Kasper said. BRIAN STRAUS

Capitals Sign a Pair of Free Agents

CAPITALS | Center Andrew Cassels and defenseman Lawrence Nycholat signed free agent deals with the Washington Capitals on Tuesday.

The 36-year-old Cassels had six goals and 20 assists in 58 games with the Columbus Blue Jackets in the 2003-04 season.

In 15 NHL seasons with five

teams, Cassels has 200 goals, 520 assists and 396 penalty minutes in 984 games.

His best season was 1992-93 with the Hartford Whalers, when he had 21 goals and 64 assists. He has had four 20-goal seasons, and seven 40-assist seasons.

Nycholat has played nine games in the NHL, all with the

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New York Rangers in 2003-04. Last season, he was an AHL All-Star and led Hartford defensemen with 43 points — five goals, 38 assists.

The moves came a day after Capitals owner Ted Leonsis said on the team's Web site that Washington will spend only about \$25 million in salaries, well below the \$39 million cap, and offered a 5 percent rebate on season tickets. (AP)

NATIONAL LEAGUE

EAST

Wizards' Draft Pick Blatche Inks A 2-Year Contract

WIZARDS | Second-round draft pick Andray Blatche signed a two-year contract Tuesday with the Washington Wizards.

Blatche, a 6-foot-11 forward, was the 49th overall pick. The 18-

year-old played last season at Connecticut's South Kent Prep School, where he averaged 27.5 points, 16 rebounds and 6 blocks as a fifth-



Grunfeld

year high school senior. Blatche played with the Wizards' summer league team in Las Vegas last month and averaged 9.2 points and 6.8 rebounds. He turns 19 later this month.

"Andray is a talented prospect, who has great size and really understands the game," president of basketball operations Ernie Grunfeld said. (AP)

Ponson, Surhoff Go on DL as Part of O's Shakeup

ORIOLES | Right-hander Sidney Ponson and outfielder B.J. Surhoff were placed on the 15-day disabled list Tuesday by the Baltimore Orioles, who also demoted struggling reliever Chris Ray to the minor leagues as part of an extensive roster shuffle involving six players.

"I think we've got time to make a difference. There's time to do some things," interim manager Sam Perlozzo said. "We've got to take the bull by the horns." The Orioles entered Tuesday night's game against Tampa Bay having lost eight of 10 to fall five games under .500.

To fill the void on the roster, the Orioles purchased the contract of first baseman Alejandro Freire from Triple-A Ottawa and recalled left-hander Eric DuBose and right-hander Aaron Rakers.

Ponson strained his right calf, and Surhoff strained his left groin Sunday against the Texas Rangers. (AP)

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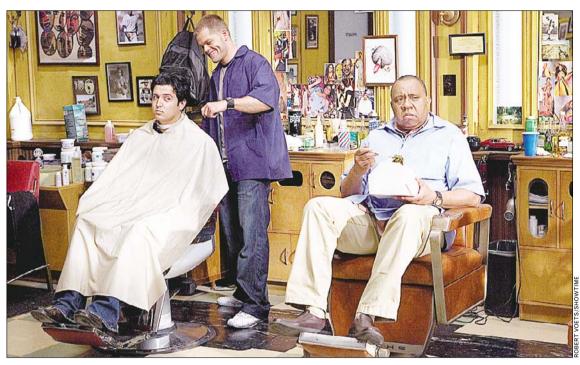
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Entertainment



HOT SPOT: Velvet Revolver singer Scott Weiland and bassist Duff McKagan aren't just rock stars, they're investors in a Manhattan nightclub. And soon, the watering hole Snitch may be the site of a reality show following the club's worker bees.



HEADS CUT HERE: John Wesley Chatham as Isaac (with customer) and Barry Shabaka Henley as Eddie trim the neighborhood.

Hairy Situation

Showtime's series 'Barbershop' plans to let its hair down

ON THE SET | Smoke spirals from a smoldering barber's chair.

Spewing swear words, beautician Terri complains about her malfunctioning hot comb.

Another woman, Jen, whose husband runs the joint, waves a pup-

pet head on a stick, while an indignant man holds a plate of chicken bones and two younger men tussle and scuffle.

The shop's proprietor, Calvin, in bathrobe and flip-flops and holding a mixed drink, exclaims, "You're all nuts."

Just another chaotic scene from "Barbershop," Showtime's new comedy series, debuting this Sunday, adapted from the hit movies "Barbershop" and "Barbershop 2: Back in Business," about an opinionated and volatile bunch of folks at a Chicago barbershop.

The original movie generated headlines when the Revs. Jesse Jackson and Al Sharpton criticized it for comments about Martin Luther King Jr. and Rosa Parks. But audiences flocked to the film because of the humorous way it expressed views about urban life.

Series executive producer, writer and director John Ridley isn't scared of controversy. There's nothing stirred up in the original movie he plans to avoid: "The first 'Barbershop' kicked the door open and said, 'Look, we're going to talk about whatever we want to talk about.' I think the responsible thing we have to do ... is to recognize that just to bring up a topic for the sake of bringing it up is not enough."

But funny is what counts most, and he cited Mel Brooks' "Blazing Saddles" as his model.

"That was a movie that was really wild and really funny, but you remember Cleavon Little is a black sheriff in the Old West. It was about race and politics, but it was one hell of a good time," said Ridley.

The principal cast is an eclectic mix of veteran character actors and newcomers. But they all play characters from the films, plus one new role — angry ex-con Romadal.

Veteran character actor Barry Shabaka Henley plays Eddie, the inflexible, old-school barber who was portrayed by Cedric the Entertainer in the movie.

Henley relies on his own memories of hanging out at a family friend's barbershop as a kid, listening to "spirited debates" during the Kennedy-Nixon presidential race.

"You saw every strata of the African American community," said Henley, "the doctor, the janitor, the guy who just got out of prison. So you got a sort of panorama."

BRIDGET BYRNE (AP)

Stops

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Warped Tour: The Longest Day

Rest up, Tattoo Nation; you're gonna need all your energy: This year's Vans Warped Tourfeatures 80 bands — including My Chemical Romance, The Offspring, Fallout Boy, Transplants and Dropkick Murphys — and many very tiring extreme sports.

Nissan Pavilion, 7800 Cellar Door Drive, Bristow, Va.; 11 a.m., \$29.50; 800-551-7328.



The Offspring's melodic punk won't get lost among Warped's 79 other bands.

Brian Wilson: Waiting for a 'Smile'

Not many genuine pop legends are still with us, so gather ye Brian Wilsons while ye may. The former Beach Boy and cracked genius tours on the long-awaited content of his album "Smile."

Wolf Trap, Filene Center, 1551 Trap Road; 8 p.m., \$38, \$25 lawn; 703-218-6500.

New York Dolls: Glam Slam

The New York Dolls emerged out of a cloud of glitter, cheap eyes hadow and thrift-store scarves in the '70s plying an unheard-of blend of trash and speedy glam-rock. This tour features only hard-up original members David Johansen and Syl Sylvain.

9:30 Club, 815 V St. NW; 7:30 p.m., \$35; 703-218-6500. (U St.-Cardozo)

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New Hatfield: the Real McCoy

The edgy, angry disc 'Made in China' is full of genuine emotion

MUSIC | Forget Juliana Hatfield the waif, singer of "Spin the Bottle," the Massachusetts girl who made up a third of the Blake Babies.

She's gone. And that's a good thing.

On "Made In China" (Ye Olde Records), Hatfield emerges scarred and smarter, playing a collection of biting, angry but melodic songs that herald the indifference of not fitting in and, frankly, not giving a damn about even trying.

The 12-song disc is a collection of defiant yet personal songs. Lust, addiction, the hurt of betrayal and the sting of loneliness emanate from them, including standout singles "Digital Penetration" and "Stay Awake," which could rip out the floor if the volume is high enough.

Maybe her new edge is a result



Critics may not have forgiven Hatfield for refusing to become a pop queen.

of critical disappointment with her earlier work, or a reaction to a state of music where women seem to be selling sex rather than singles.

It doesn't matter. Rage, indifference and edginess are in full effect on "Made in China," and her damnation has brought salvation.

Hatfield appears at Iota Club & Cafe, 2832 Wilson Blvd., Arlington; with De Nova Dahl, Sat., Aug. 13, 9:30 p.m., \$15; Information: 703-522-8340. (Clarendon)



TV EYE: The big-screen satire of small-screen culture, "The TV Set," starring David Duchovny, has attracted the interest of Sigourney Weaver and Ioan Gruffudd. They've inked deals to appear as head of a network and a BBC executive, respectively.

Entertainment

Horrors Scary Phase With so many spooky Anti-War Concert Set For Mall

flicks out there, the scare is wearing off

PROFITS | The only thing scary these days about horror movies is the state of their box-office grosses.

Since May, when "House of Wax" was released, five horror films have been unveiled and have under-performed. The much-hyped "Wax" grossed a modest \$32.1 million, zombiefest "Land of the Dead" limped away with a meager \$20.3 million, the remake "Dark Water" grossed a murky \$23.1 million and French import "High Tension" yielded a limp \$3.6 million.

In the midst of a genre glut. spookmeisters are wondering if the horror bubble has burst. "It seems like some good things are getting lost," said Brad Fuller, a partner at Platinum Dunes, which produced the "Texas Chainsaw Massacre"



TERRIFYING NUMBERS: "House of Wax" had a big build-up, but didn't recoup.

remake and is now prepping a prequel. "We're looking at the numbers and questioning how we can do it better and smarter, so that we can get high grosses."

New Line Cinema is even taking a breather from the genre, noted

David Tuckerman, president of the studio's domestic theatrical distribution. New Line's "Final Destination 3" won't come out until next year.

As recently as this winter, horror movies were making a killing. January's "White Noise" and "Hide and Seek" both opened to more than \$19 million and grossed over \$50

But too much of a scary thing can be bad for business.

"How many zombie movies have we seen in the last couple of years?' asked one studio production executive. "What you're seeing is a burning out of the sub-genres within the horror genre as a whole."

There is also a seasonal aspect to horror's box-office performance. Spring and summer have traditionally not worked for spooky cinema, and it can't compete against summer tentpoles.

There are some who feel the ax falling on horror is a good thing.

Let the cycle run its course, said Tuckerman: "Hopefully the film companies are going to burn out on it and then there'll be room for good ones again." BORYS KIT (THE HOLLYWOOD REPORTER)

PROTEST | An eclectic lineup of punk, country and ambient musicians will gather on the National Mall in September to build support for ending the war in Iraq.

Jello Biafra, formerly of the group Dead Kennedys, will host the "Operation Ceasefire" concert at the Washington Monument on Sept. 24. Other acts include iconoclastic country crooner Steve Earle and Wayne Kramer from 1960s-era rockers MC5.

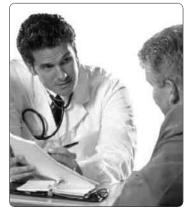
The concert is a chance for likeminded musicians to take their antiwar message to a large audience, said organizer Eric Hilton of the D.C. experimental pop duo Thievery Corporation, which also will perform. "If it can get a few more people thinking about the issue and not just pushing it to the back of their brains, it would be a good thing," Hilton said. (AP)

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Entertainment



800-LB. GORILLA: As if Peter Jackson weren't busy enough, the director of the upcoming "King Kong" remake found time to film a seven-part feature on the making of the original "Kong" in anticipation of the 1933 film's release on DVD in November.

Crunk's Twin Kings

Atlanta's Ying Yang Twins are the new mouths of the south

HOT SINGLES | The Ying Yang Twins are on top of the music world right now with "U.S.A.: United State of Atlanta" and the infectious hit single "Wait (The Whisper Song)."

The track helped the duo of D-Roc and Kaine score its first No. 1 album.

But do not let the group's crunk rhythm fool you: The Twins are about more than just tearing up the club, and "U.S.A." proves just that with a collection of songs that is inspiring and entertaining.

"We had to grow with [our fans]

but still stay the same Ying Yang that they know," D-Roc said of the group's newfound success. "That's why on this album we matured."

How did the Atlanta-based duo become known for all things

Named after the Chinese symbol for light and dark (yin and yang), the Twins joined the hip-hop game in 1998 when DJ Smurf (aka Mr. Collipark) invited them to appear on his album "Dead Crunk." The song the Twins recorded, "One on One," was their first. Later that year, Lil Jon featured the duo's "True City Thugs" on his "So So Def Bass All-Stars Compilation Vol. III."

The success of those two songs in Atlanta prompted the Twins to



BACK IN THE 'U.S.A.': Kaine and D-Roc drop the volume on the single "Wait."

release the double-sided single "Whistle While You Twurk/Bring Yo Azz Outdoz" in 2000. The track became the lead single to their Universal debut, "Thug Walkin'," that same year.

Two years later, the Twins left Universal for Koch and released their sophomore set, "Alley: The Return of the Ying Yang Twins." The album sold well, thanks in part to the hit "Say I Yi Yi."

Soon after, Lil Jon & the East Side Boyz invited the Twins to record "Get Low" with them for their album "Kings of Crunk." And the rest, as they say, is hiphop history. "Get Low" became a summer anthem, reaching No. 2 on The Billboard Hot 100.

In 2003, the duo joined TVT and released "Me & My Brother," which became its first platinum album. The set featured "Get Low" and the hit "Salt Shaker." This journey has brought them to the success that is "U.S.A." RASHAUN HALL (BILLBOARD)

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Never on Sunday

Globes refuse to be crushed by Sunday's 'Housewives' force

RESCHEDULING | NBC is moving the Golden Globes to Monday night next year, giving up the award show's traditional Sunday-evening slot after more viewers watched "Desperate Housewives."

ABC has emerged as a Sundaynight ratings powerhouse thanks to several hits including "Desperate Housewives."

In 2004, the broadcast of awards from the Hollywood Foreign Press Association drew 26.8 mil-



GOLDEN RETREAT: The awards show flees from ABC's suburban angst.

lion viewers, according to Nielsen Media Research. This year the show drew only 16.5 million viewers while "Housewives" attracted 24.1 million viewers.

The 63rd Annual Golden Globe Awards will air Monday night, Jan. 16, the network said Thursday.

The second season of "Desperate Housewives" will remain in its Sunday-night berth.

NBC is in the fifth year of a 10year contract with the Hollywood Foreign Press Association to broadcast the Golden Globes.

"This move will further showcase the Golden Globes and give audiences a better opportunity to watch all the night's glamour without facing Sunday night's intense competition," the network said in a statement. (AP)

ON TV TONIGHT

REMEMBER THE ONE WHERE ...? Jason Alexander hosts UNFORGETTABLE MOMENTS IN TELEVISION ENTERTAINMENT

(8 p.m., NBC). Guests discuss the comedies, dramas and reality series that changed television, reflected the nation's mood or generated the greatest amount of water-cooler conversation.

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After its Sunday preview, **WEEDS** (10 p.m., Showtime) enters its regular time slot.

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TRAILER FABULOUS (10 p.m., MTV) celebrates innovative mobile-home decor.

GOLD IS SO '60S

Only 007 can save the world's gold reserves in the 1964 adventure **GOLDFINGER** (8 p.m., AMC), starring Sean



ROLL MODEL: "Weeds" pot-dealing mom keeps her community mellow.

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CULT CHOICE

Ethel Waters, Lena Horne and dozens of notable jazz musicians are featured in Vincente Minnelli's 1943 musical fantasy **CABIN IN THE SKY** (8 p.m. TCM). KEVIN MCDONOUGH (UNITED FEATURE SYNDICATE)

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Powwow Social

Free and Open to the Public All are Welcome Wear Your Regalia!

Powwow Programs at the Museum

To complement the National Powwow (August 12, 13 &14 at the MCI Center), a variety of FREE Powwow related programs will be hosted at the museum!

Thursday, August 11, 12 noon

Panel Discussion: *Origins and Evolution of Powwow* with members of the National Powwow Head Staff

Friday, Saturday, Sunday, August 12, 13 & 14

Kanata Native Dance Theatre

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Daily, 12 noon, 12:30, 2 & 2:30 p.m. Hear traditional storytellers Mardella Lowry (Lumbee) and Stella Long (Choctaw).

Native Views Film Series

Friday only, August 12 at 3 p.m. *The World of American Indian Dance* [2003, 60 min., U.S.]

Saturday only, August 13 at 3 p.m. Into the Circle: An Introduction to Oklahoma Powwows and Celebrations [1992, 58 min., U.S.]

FREE Powwow Shuttle Service, August 12, 13 & 14

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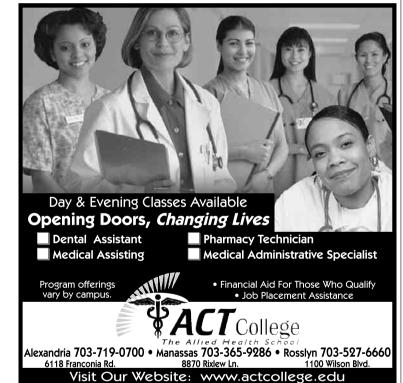
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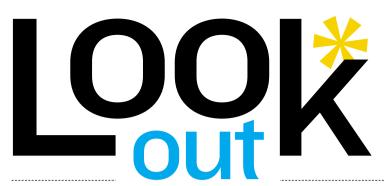
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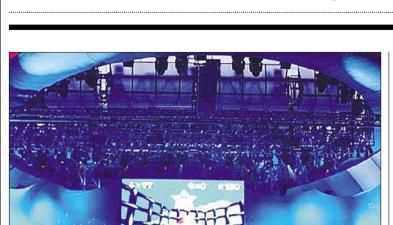
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Music Orchestra concerts of music from "Final Fantasy" games — a longrunning role-playing series with a cult-like following — have sold out venues nationwide. Video games with their rising budgets are now attracting serious

Video games with their rising budgets are now attracting serious composing talent.

Scoring for traditional television may soon enough be playing second fiddle.

Award-winning film composers such as Danny Elfman of "Charlie and the Chocolate Factory" and



KEY OF SEE: Who ever knew that Nintendo's Super Mario had a classical side?

Like movie scores, game soundtracks seldom top the charts, though a few have been big sellers.

The score from "Halo 2," an Xbox game that pits players against alien invaders, has sold about 100,000 copies since its release late last year. Sales of the "Final Fantasy: The Spirits Within" soundtrack have reached 47,000 copies since being released in 2003, according to Nielsen SoundScan.

In the United States, video game industry sales now exceed movie box office receipts.

Composer Tommy Tallarico, co-creator of Video Games Live, says his music budget was about

Gaming Maestros

At the bizarre yet beautiful debut performance of Video Games
Live, the sotto voce murmurs of the "Tomb Raider" theme give way to choir-assisted crescendos then to Shore rec

choir-assisted crescendos then to more crowd-pleasing music and images from other games.

of classical music

the Hollywood Bowl.

orchestra.

Violinists playing sweetly beneath

her, the video game heroine Lara

Croft has two guns blazing and the

full attention of 10,000 people at

lion copies, unflinchingly braves explosions on a giant TV screen that hangs, incongruously, above the Los Angeles Philharmonic

The animated star of "Tomb Raider" games, which have collectively sold more than 30 mil-

The spectacle, which promoters say will be performed by similarly topflight orchestras in more than 15 cities in the coming months, is just the latest sign that songs written for the interactive gaming world are blasting out of consoles and into the mainstream.

Howard Shore of "The Lord of the Rings" trilogy have written music for games.

Shore recently completed work on the upcoming "SUN," an online role-playing game set in a medieval world of emperors and monsters.

And hit singles such as Green Day's "American Idiot" were heard on the hugely popular "Madden NFL Football" games even before they got radio play.

In fact, 14 of the 21 songs in the game's latest version, to be released

Tuesday, are previously unreleased. The new version features music from Foo Fighters, Rev. Run of Run-DMC fame and others.

It's all a sonic leap from the blips and beeps of "Pong" and "Asteroids" — so memorably annoying they've come to define game audio for decades.

"The music in video games is basically maturing to the spot where it can live outside" of home systems, said Chuck Doud, music director for Sony Computer Entertainment. The music

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CHUCK DOUD

MUSIC DIRECTOR
SONY COMPUTER ENTERTAINMENT

\$300,000 for "Advent Rising" — the first game in a planned intergalactic trilogy with dialogue and stories by science fiction writer Orson Scott Card.

Orchestras and choirs recorded Tallarico's 13th century Italian opera-inspired songs on a stage at the Paramount Pictures lot.

"In movies, you write to picture, you write to the scene, and it's considered background music," said Tallarico. "I consider us foreground music." RYAN PEARSON (AP)



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You Oughta Be in Pictures

Fashion

Magazines tap into plus-size models and more average women

Mixed among the pages of dazzling celebrities and rail-thin models that dominate fashion and teen magazines is a surprising sight: young women with thick thighs and flabby abs.

In Seventeen, Teen People, CosmoGirl! and Teen Vogue are bathing suit sections partly illustrated by less-than-perfect figures and tips on maximizing assets and minimizing defects.

Editors say they are using more average women and fewer models to reflect changing body types and to help self-conscious teens see that not everyone is perfect.

"It's not going to help my reader if we only show girls who are size 6," said Atoosa Rubenstein, editor of Seventeen magazine. "Everyone is beautiful, it's just a matter of confidence, and we try to show that."

Teen People recently featured a



PRETTY WOMAN: Plumper women, such as plus-sized model Brittany Harper, are modeling for magazines that are striving for greater diversity of body and skin types.

story about Brittany Harper, a plussized 20-year-old who has competed in and won several beauty pageants against average-sized girls in North Carolina and who currently holds the USA Eastern Miss title. Harper, from Goldsboro, N.C., said she's pleased to see more overweight women in magazines. "I think maybe seeing someone like me in a magazine makes you realize that you don't have to be skinny to be pretty," she said. "People see skinny girls in magazines and they think that's what normal is when it's not the case."

Harper said she started entering the pageants because she was shy

and self-conscious, but now she's happy with her body.

In May 2004, Glamour Magazine broke a barrier of sorts by putting the sizable Queen Latifah on the cover. It outsold the May 2003 cover which featured svelte actresses Halle Berry and Rebecca Romiin.

Rubenstein, who joined the magazine two years ago after launching CosmoGirl!, said her priority

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BRITTANY HARPER
PLUS-SIZED MODEL

has been to reflect the population. She said most of the girls in the style and beauty sections are not models, and variety helps illustrate cosmetics for different body and skin types. The magazine shows five skin tones now to reflect different ethnic groups.

"If you were a South Asian girl, you would have thought you didn't exist in this country if you looked at magazines," Rubenstein said. "Indian girls, girls from all over were just being neglected."

Seventeen's casting director chooses girls in malls, on the street, and anywhere she can find them for beauty and fitness sections. The magazine has increased newsstand sales by 17 percent in the past two years.

"It doesn't make good business sense to stay the same," Rubenstein said. "Girls today have so many different role models they wouldn't stand for it if they only saw the same thing every time they looked at Seventeen."

Jean Kilbourne, creator of the "Killing Us Softly" educational film series shown in schools, has been tracking the influence of media on women for the past 30 years.

"Showing real girls is just great sociologically," she said. "Not only does it make more sense to show how a bathing suit will transform a person's body by using a real body, but it makes women feel like they aren't alone out there, that they are beautiful, too." COLLEEN LONG (AP)

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Local

Next: Cutest Couple

Hey you, in the nude pantyhose and white running shoes. DC Style magazine has scrounged up 20 candidates for D.C.'S BEST-DRESSED, among them go-go musician Chuck Brown, below. And you can vote on them at destylemag.com. You may find yourself choosing the prettiest face, best hair or most famous, however. Several photos obscure the actual clothing, so if you don't swing in those circles, you won't have much to go on. H.J.M.

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Few areas of life remain untouched by style or design. Even orthodontic retainers come in colors and patterns. Yet, along with hospital gowns and orthopedic shoes, camera bags dwell in an unenlightened fashion backwater where all is clunky, staid and strictly serviceable. It took two months, but we finally

took two months, but we finally assembled a batch of bags — the big kind, for lugging camcorders and SLRs — that do more justice to their creative cargo than the wonky black nylon. HOLLY J. MORRIS (EXPRESS)

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LOOK Voices



Baggage Check

ANDREA BONIOR, PH.D.

When Love's Out of Sync

I've been in a relationship with this woman for nearly two years and it seems we can never get in sync. First, I felt madly in love with her, but it seemed she could live without me. I built up a protective wall and am finally at the point where I want to leave. When I made that clear, she said she's deeply in love with me and wants to get married. I can't seem to get that lovin' feeling back, but it hurts me to think it might have worked out. If I stick to my guns and leave, how can I cause her the least pain? —STUCK IN THE MIDDLE. ALEXANDRIA

First, you've got to know what you really want. You'll cause the least pain for both of you if you act with conviction and decisiveness. This can only be done if you really believe in your reasons for wanting to leave, and if you realize her newfound cries for commitment might be emerging only because you're pulling away.

You must be certain your love for her has faded, not wondering if you might still have a chance or believing, deep down, that your diminished feelings are the result of a "protective wall" that could come tumbling down at any second. (Perhaps with fireworks and a David Hasselhoff performance?) When you know for sure, do it. If you're honest and earnest — the

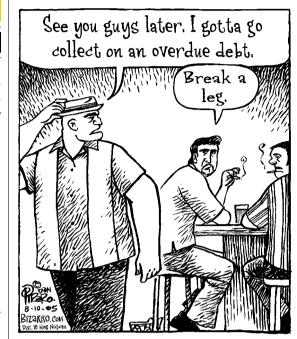
holy grail in breakups — eventually she'll realize that not marrying someone who doesn't love her is like winning the lottery.

I love my job and work with a stellar group of people, but there's one individual who's throwing a kink in my starry-eyed work bliss. She's a consummate know-it-all who's always in everyone's business, and she's rubbed the whole team raw. (I should add that she has some issues with depression and anxiety.) I'd like to tell her how difficult it's become to work with her without sending her into a horrified panic attack.—GRRR IN GREENBELT

Since this woman seems to be wreaking havoc on not just you but on your entire team (of mysteriously perfect people!), it's not a battle you must fight alone. Seek out one or two coworkers you trust and suss out whether they'd join you in taking action. Keep it a work-productivity issue rather than a mental health or emotional one; no need to make it overly personal when the bottom line is efficiency and functionality. Or you could approach a reliable manager or HR person for advice; it could be his or her job to intervene once he or she becomes aware of how bad the situation has become.

Send your mental health and emotional wellness questions to Andrea Bonior, Ph.D. at baggage@readexpress.com. This column is not a substitute for one-on-one care.

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"No, you haven't missed much. Pretty well everyone called in sick."

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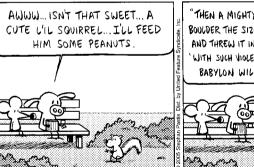
Letters

Publisher Deserved Better

JOHN H. JOHNSON, a pioneer in journalism, deserved more than a short paragraph that followed two articles about a mobster and murderer ("Publisher of Ebony, Jet Magazines Dead at Age 87," Aug. 9). I am appalled by your lack of respect for such a fine journalist and entrepreneur. Johnson did not

work hard to break down barriers in journalism only to become a paragraph pushed to the bottom page of your publication. It would have been just to at least include a picture of the founder of Ebony and Jet. You have illustrated that a politician's raunchy fundraiser (Eyeopeners, Aug. 9) deserves more coverage than a leader who changed the course of history, not only for African Americans but for all Americans.

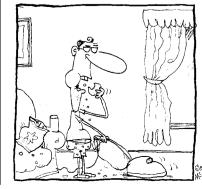
-KARLA BUTLER Laurel, Md.







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NO MARGARINE

It's more than a metaphor for the size and shape of Mei Xiang's little boy just after birth, though. Butterstick, according to some, is a 'feat to be accomplished, a goal."

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Horoscope

By Stella Wilder

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Keep score and you'll find that you're doing better in the long run than you had expected. It's a good time to take a look back at the year so far.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) You will be expected to process information quickly and to be ready for whatever comes your way sooner than usual.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) Though progress may have been delayed in recent days or weeks, you should be able to pick up the pace once again — just in time. SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) This is a good day to strengthen connections that have weakened in the recent past. Trust your friends, and trust yourself.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) You should be able to take minimal gains and turn them into something others will have to contend with before long. You're ready.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Don't over-

do it. You've got a great deal in store and you must preserve energy and stamina. Use your head.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) Take turns and both parties are sure to score major gains. Are you ready for what lies ahead? The clock is ticking. Prepare now.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) This is a good day to reflect and anticipate. Re-evaluation is only valuable if you are willing to let the past remain, however.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Don't be so hard on yourself. You've done all you can do and now you must leave certain things up to fate. Friends and the stars

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) You have some excitement in store, but before you can give yourself whole-heartedly to what others have planned you must tend to routine duties.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) You may not have as many choices as you thought you had, but you should be able to work them to your advantage no matter what.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Take the time to do things carefully, thoroughly and with reflection. Even routine endeavors require a little more thought than usual.

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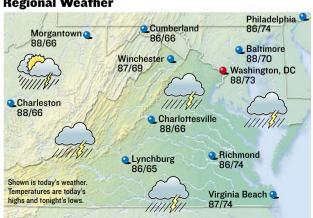
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Regional Weather



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Washington, D.C., through 4 p.m. Tues

Regional Forecast

D.C. Metro: Today, partly sunny, humid, a thunderstorm. High 88. Wind south 3-6 mph. Tonight, partly cloudy, humid, a thunderstorm. Low 73.

Sun and Moon

Sunrise today 6:17 a.m
Sunset tonight 8:09 p.m
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Seattle	76/56/pc	74/56/pc	Tokyo	86/75/t	83/73/				

s-sunny, pc-partly cloudy, c-cloudy, sh-showers, t-thunderstorms



People

MORALITY

Celebrity Lawyer Shocked By Sordid Lure of Fame

Michael Jackson's defense attornev ridiculed two jurors who say they regret voting to acquit the singer.

"The bottom line is it makes no difference what they're saying," THOMAS MESEREAU JR. said. "Twelve people delib-



erated ... Now, two months later, these jurors are changing their tunes. They clearly like being on TV," Mesereau said. "I'm very suspicious." (AP)



Singer-songwriter Marc Cohn in 1997.

VIOLENCE

Marc Cohn Shot But OK

A man suspected of shooting singer-songwriter MARC COHN during an attempted carjacking was arrested Monday. Cohn was shot in the temple Sunday when a man fired into his van in a Denver, Colo., parking garage. Cohn, who is married to ABC news reporter Elizabeth Vargas, was treated at a hospital and released Monday. (AP)

Cancer Strikes Reeve

After helping her famous husband turn his paralysis into a gracefully productive last nine years, DANA REEVE is fighting for her own life. Christopher Reeve's widow announced Tuesday that she has lung cancer, then quickly added: "I hope before too long to be sharing news of my good health and recoverv." Reeve is not a smoker. said a spokeswoman for the Christopher Reeve Paralysis





Your Show Starts in a Week. Will You Go Away Then?

"I love Pam(andmynewshow"TommyLeeGoestoCollegestartsAug.16)ela a lot!"

TOMMY LEE says he and Pamela Anderson aren't getting married again. "Noooo," he told Jay Leno Monday night. They were photographed together in Hawaii last month, and that's when the marriage rumors started. Lee said. "I took Pamela and the kids to Hawaii for her birthday. And anytime we get together for any length of time, people are like, 'Oh, they're getting married," he said. "You know, we're stuck together forever. We love each other dearly and we have two beautiful kids," Lee told Leno. "But as far as getting married or engaged, I'm not engaged or married." Lee's new show, "Tommy Lee Goes to College," debuts Aug. 16 on NBC. (AP)



REBEL YELLS

As If Hollywood Weren't **Emasculating Enough**

Johnny Knoxville and Seann William Scott, who play Luke and Bo Duke in "The Dukes of Hazzard," screwed up. In the latest Entertainment Weekly, Knoxville says he felt like "half a man" when he heard JOHN SCHNEIDER, aka Bo Duke on the TV series, do the rebel yell. "John Schneider comes up to us last night at the premiere ... he goes, 'Let's do a yee-haw!' And he belts out this Tarzan-like 'yee-haw,' and I was like, 'That's kinda how we were supposed to do it, Seann." (AP)

CONFUSION

The Law Is a Vast **And Complicated Entity**

Foundation. (AP)

Rapper DMX was charged Monday with violating the conditions of a plea deal approved after he drove through an airport parking gate last year while on drugs. DMX could face up to one year in jail if a judge determines two subsequent run-ins with authorities violated the conditions of his release. After pleading guilty in December to the airportgate offense, he was sentenced to



a conditional discharge. One week later, he was charged with speeding; on April 15, he was arrest-

ed after his car was involved in a three-car accident that injured two police officers. (AP)



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Today in History

1846 The Smithsonian Institution was chartered; it was named after scientist James Smithson, whose \$500,000 gift made it possible.

Franklin D. Roosevelt was stricken with polio at his summer home at Campobello in Canada.

Postal employee David 1977 Berkowitzwasarrested and accused of being the "Son of Sam."

President Reagan signed 1988 President Today \$20,000 off on providing \$20,000 payments to Japanese-Americans who had been interned during World War II.

1995 Norma McCorvey, the "Jane Roe" of Roe v. Wade, the 1973 Supreme Court decision legalizing abortion, announced she had joined the antiabortion group Operation Rescue.

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Yesterday's **Solution**

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Cultural Tourism DC, a nonprofit coalition of more than 140 arts, heritage, cultural and community organizations throughout the National Capital

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For example, click on Cultural Tourism's "Calendar of Events" and search by month, neighborhood or event type — or any combination. You'll find some 50 activities listed for this coming week, ranging from family films to lectures, concerts and walking tours. And travel directions via Metro are included. The site's handy Web links to events and activities are on their own — worth a visit to the site.

Here are just some of the activities for the coming week, with varying times and admission fees. You'll discover there's a lot more in our town to look at than statues of guys on horseback raising their swords.

Today (and every Wednesday)

9:15 p.m. Film — Yes And (Director Jack Reda, Comedy/Mockumentary) Local Filmmaker and Community Night at the Avalon Theatre, 5612 Connecticut Avenue, NW. Phone: 202-966-6000

Thursday, August 11

6:30-8 p.m. Sunset Serenades: Mary Ann Redmond Band (rock/R&B/folk). Lion/Tiger Hill, National Zoological Park, Smithsonian Institution, 3001 Connecticut Avenue, NW. Phone: 202-673-4717

> Friday, August 12 (and every Friday until Labor Day) 5 p.m. Jazz in the Garden at the National Gallery of Art: The Grandsons. On the National Mall between Third and Seventh streets at Constitution Avenue. NW. Phone: 202-737-4215

Friday-Sunday, August 12-14

National Powwow: Native artisans, singers and dancers from the U.S. and Canada. Presented at the MCI Center by the National Museum of the American Indian. Phone: 877-830-3224 or 301-238-3023

Sunday, August 14

10:00 a.m. Walking Tour: The White House Un-Tour. Meet at McPherson Square station (White House exit). Tour by Washington Walks. Phone: 202-484-1565



The National Park Service Visitors Center in Georgetown offers free walking tours such as Scandals, Scoundrels and Scallywags. Info at www.nps.gov/choh/Calendar/ Canaller.html. Photo by Bill Petros.

Boulevard station and walk.

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